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In re application of: Charbel MASSAAD et al.
Appl. No.: 09/808,388 Conf.: 3321
Filed: March 14, 2001 Group: 1636
Title: Examiner: G. Leffers Jr.
INFLAMMATION INDUCIBLE HYBRID PROMOTERS,
VECTORS COMPRISING THEM AND USES THEREOF

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 11, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 11, 2003, for which the period for response has been extended one month, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.